

Table 39. Beaverhead County Income Growth and Change

| | | | | Change: '87 - '97 | |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|----------|
| | | | | Amt. | % |
| Income and Population | | | | | |
| Total Personal Income (thous. 6\$) | \$132,485 | \$166,820 | \$176,117 | \$34,335 | 26% |
| Population | 8,460 | 9,244 | 9,195 | 784 | 9% |
| Per Capita Income | \$15,660 | \$18,046 | \$19,154 | \$2,386 | 15% |
| <i>Thousands of 96 Dollars</i> Components of Total Personal Income | | | | | |
| #1 Labor earnings | \$72,661 | \$91,703 | \$99,889 | \$19,042 | 26% |
| share of total income | 55% | 55% | 57% | 55% | |
| #2 Transfer payments | \$23,486 | \$31,269 | \$32,594 | \$7,783 | 33% |
| share of total income | 18% | 19% | 19% | 23% | |
| #3 Investment income | \$36,337 | \$43,848 | \$43,635 | \$7,511 | 21% |
| share of total income | 27% | 26% | 25% | 22% | |
| Labor Income by Sector | | | | | |
| #1 Services | \$11,202 | \$19,444 | \$21,248 | \$8,242 | 74% |
| #2 F.I.R.E. | \$2,410 | \$8,557 | \$9,317 | \$6,147 | 255% |
| #3 Government | \$24,790 | \$28,447 | \$29,847 | \$3,657 | 15% |
| #4 Mining | \$5,607 | \$8,840 | \$8,261 | \$3,233 | 58% |
| #5 Construction | \$3,630 | \$6,423 | \$6,506 | \$2,793 | 77% |
| #6 Net Farm | \$5,309 | \$6,862 | \$11,976 | \$1,553 | 29% |
| #7 Retail Trade | \$9,041 | \$10,348 | \$10,072 | \$1,307 | 14% |
| #8 Wholesale Trade | \$3,258 | \$2,639 | \$2,535 | -\$619 | -19% |
| #9 Ag & Forest. Services | \$2,129 | \$1,058 | \$1,374 | -\$1,071 | -50% |
| #10 Transpt. & Public Utilities | \$7,108 | \$4,940 | \$4,600 | -\$2,168 | -31% |
| #11 Manufacturing | \$4,696 | \$2,049 | \$1,942 | -\$2,647 | -56% |
| <i>Thousands of 96 Dollars</i> Fastest Growing Sub-Sectors (gains of more than \$400 ths. & 30%) | | | | Amt. | % |
| #1 Other F.I.R.E. (insur., real est.) | \$807 | \$6,857 | \$7,517 | \$6,050 | 750% |
| #2 Health Care Services | \$5,274 | \$10,387 | \$9,256 | \$5,113 | 97% |
| #3 Mining | \$5,607 | \$8,840 | \$8,261 | \$3,233 | 58% |
| #4 Special Trade Contractors | \$1,717 | \$3,669 | \$4,178 | \$1,952 | 114% |
| #5 Eating & Drinking Places | \$1,709 | \$2,597 | \$2,463 | \$888 | 52% |
| #6 Engineering & Managmt. Serv. | \$100 | \$827 | \$1,173 | \$727 | 727% |
| #7 Nondurable Goods Manuf. | \$640 | \$1,274 | \$1,460 | \$634 | 99% |
| #8 General Building Contractors | \$716 | \$1,300 | \$1,400 | \$584 | 82% |
| #9 Business Services | \$740 | \$1,227 | \$1,743 | \$487 | 66% |
| #10 Amusement & Recreation Serv. | \$216 | \$689 | \$987 | \$473 | 219% |
| #11 Food Stores | \$1,279 | \$1,749 | \$1,726 | \$470 | 37% |
| #12 Hotels & Other Lodging | \$1,130 | \$1,562 | \$1,818 | \$432 | 38% |
| Subtotal | \$19,935 | \$40,978 | \$41,982 | \$21,043 | 106% |
| share of total labor income | 27% | 45% | 42% | 111% | |
| Declining Sub-Sectors | | | | | |
| Forestry Services | \$610 | \$102 | \$166 | -\$508 | -83% |
| Agricultural Services | \$1,519 | \$956 | \$1,208 | -\$563 | -37% |
| Trucking & Warehousing | \$1,748 | \$1,129 | \$1,292 | -\$619 | -35% |
| Wholesale Trade | \$3,258 | \$2,639 | \$2,535 | -\$619 | -19% |
| Railroad Transportation | \$2,149 | \$1,000 | \$785 | -\$1,149 | -53% |
| Durable Goods Manufacturing | \$4,056 | \$775 | \$482 | -\$3,281 | -81% |
| Subtotal | \$13,340 | \$6,601 | \$6,468 | -\$6,739 | -51% |

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